GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – BC Welfare Department – ACB Surprise check on the Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta, Srikakulam District - Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 read with Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 against Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired) - Article of Charges – Orders – Issued.

BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE (D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.112 **Dated:13.07.2022.**
Read the following:

G.O.Ms.No.48, BC Welfare (D) Dept., dated.13.07.2022.

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ORDER:

In pursuance of the sanction accorded by the Government in the reference read above, under Sub-Clause (i) of clause (b) of Sub-Rule (2) of Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 for initiating departmental proceedings against Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), it is considered necessary to hold an inquiry against the said Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services(Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charge (Annexure-I and II). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-III and IV).

3. Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), is directed to submit his written statement of defence within ten (10) days of the receipt of this order.

4. Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny article of charge.

5. Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the period specified in Para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 or the orders / directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

6. Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired), is informed that Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 stipulates that under no circumstances, Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interests in representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that the said Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired) is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(P.T.O)

7. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.ANANTHA RAMU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (now retired) (now retired) "through" the Director of BC Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.

Copy to:
The Director of BC Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada. (with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledged copy and Written Statement of Defense)
SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER

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ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGE AGAINST SRI M.RAGHAVENDRA RAO, THE THEN ABCWO, PALASA, SRIKAKULAM DISTRICT (NOW RETIRED):-

Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, S/o late Satyanarayana Murthy, Asst. B.C. Welfare Officer, Palasa, Srikakulam District, while he was working as such he committed the following grave misconduct in as much as;-

CHARGE :

That Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, ABCWO, Palasa failed to visit the hostel as per the prescribed norms and failed to supervise the performance of HWO Smt. A.S. Ramanamma of Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls' Hostel, Sompeta resulting in several irregularities and mismanaging of the hostel.

Thus, Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District by his above-mentioned acts has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty, slack supervision and conduct unbecoming of a Govt. Servant there by contravened Rule 3(1), 3(2) & 3(5) of AP Civil Service (Conduct) Rule 1964 r/w Rule 9 of AP Revised pension Rules, 1980.

G.ANANTHA RAMU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

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ANNEXURE –II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATION OF MISCONDUCT IN SUPPORT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M.RAGHAVENDRA RAO, THE THEN ABCWO, PALASA, SRIKAKULAM DISTRICT (NOW RETIRED):-

CHARGE :

That the retired employee, Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, ABCWO, Palasa has failed to visit the hostel as per the prescribed norms and failed to supervise the performance of HWO, Smt. A.S. Ramanamma of Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta resulting in several irregularities and mismanaging of the hostel.

FACTS AND EVIDENCE:

On credible information that the Hostel Welfare Officer, Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls' Hostel, Sompeta, Srikakulam District and the Assistant Tribal Welfare Officer are indulging in corrupt practices by inflating the boarders' strength and also misappropriating the funds allotted to the Hostel, on 11.11.2019, the ACB officials conducted a surprise check on the said hostel in the presence of official mediators.

By the time the Surprise Check party reached the BC Welfare Girls hostel situated at Gandhinagar-1, Sompeta, one female person aged about 45 years was found in the hostel kitchen. Then the DSP disclosed his identity and the identities of other members and requested the person to disclose her identity. The person revealed her identity as Smt. Pyla Saraswathi, W/o Rama Rao, age 48 years, Outsourcing Kamati, Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta, R/o Lalapeta, Station road, Ichapuram.

When the Inspector ACB enquired with her about the HWO and other staff members of the hostel, she replied that she was transferred to that hostel and *she* has been working as Outsourcing Kamati since 18.10.2019. She further stated that Smt. A.S. Ramanamma is the HWO. The other staff members are (1) Smt. Ratnam (outsourcing kamati), three tutors by name (2) Harika (3) Sowjanya (4) Maneesha and they are yet to come to hostel and one outsourcing night watchwoman Sandhya. Sandhya went outside on 11.11.2019, just before the arrival of the ACB party and Smt. Ratnam informed that she will come a bit late as she is feeling some illness. Smt. Pyla Saraswathi was preparing food for 61 boarders with the help of Smt. Ratnam as per the instructions of the HWO, Smt. A.S. Ramanamma. Smt. A.S. Ramanamma came to the hostel on 10.11.2019 and gave the storeroom key and instructed her to prepare food for the boarders. On enquiry, it is learnt that Smt. A.S.Ramanamma, HWO was also holding additional charge of BC welfare Hostel, Mandasa and she was present there.

On enquiry about the preparation of breakfast for boarders, Smt. P. Saraswathi, outsourcing Kamati informed that they have to provide Milk & boiled eggs at first and then, they have to prepare Kichidi with peas as breakfast for 61 boarders and she has to provide groundnut chekki after breakfast. She is preparing Kichidi and peas curry as breakfast for 61 boarders.

Then the Inspector, ACB observed the kitchen and found the following items in the kitchen.

10. Eggs – 119
11. Rice 15 Kgs.
12. Good Milk – 13 X ½ litre packets
13. Wheat Ravva – 5 Kgs.
14. Rice Ravva – 2 Kgs.
15. Gas Cylinders – Total: 4 (2 full; 1 empty; 1 being used)
16. Potatoes – 5 Kgs.
17. Aluminium cooking vessels – 5
18. Gas Stove – 1

Then the Inspector, ACB with the assistance of other members of the raiding party assembled the boarders present in the hostel in a class-wise manner and counted the boarders. The particulars of borders present in the hostel are as follows:

Sl.No.	Class	No. of borders present in the hostel at the time of surprise check
1	IV	0
2	V	1
3	VI	5
4	VII	13
5	VIII	15
6	IX	12
7	X	15

Then the Inspector, ACB randomly selected the following 12 boarders from the above list as below and recorded their statements.

Sl.No.	Name and address of the student
1	Botchu Deepika, D/o Balaraju, age 14 years, 9th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
2	Jyothi Behara, D/o BaluduBehara, 14 years, 10 th class, Govt. High School, Sompeta
3	Landa Swaroopa, D/o Dilles, 14 years, 9thclass, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
4	KiluguKrishnaveni, D/o Lingaraju, 11 years, 6th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
5	Raika Sanjana, D/o Kussanna, 9 years, 4th class, CBM School-II, Sompeta
6	BynapalliSpandana, D/o Tulasi, age 12 years, 7th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
7	Setti Swathi, D/o Sarath Kumar Setti, 13 years, 8th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
8	Gummadi Nandini, D/o Jogarao, 13 years, 8th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
9	Kolla Nandini, D/o Papayya, 15 years, 10 class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
10	ParapatiSumithra, D/o Vasu, 15 years, 10th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
11	Jalasutra Devi, D/o Matayya, age 14 years, 8th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
12	PushpanjaliBehara, D/o Bali Behara, 14 years, 9th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta

On examination, the boarders categorically stated that the HWO is staying at Srikakulam and occasionally visits the hostel. There is no purified drinking water facility in the hostel. They are being supplied with the impurified water stored in the upper Sintex tank which is used for all purposes. The food being supplied is not good to eat and not as per the menu chart. They were not given the cosmetic charges. They were not supplied with notebooks as per scale but their signatures were taken in a notebook as if they were supplied with the notebooks as per scale. The strength usually present at the hostel is about 60-70. Smt. Ratnam and Smt. Saraswathi takes their attendance regularly. Tuitions are being conducted to 10th class borders by the three tutors in the morning & evening sessions. There is no inverter facility in the hostel due to which they are facing lighting problems during night times whenever electric power fails.

At this juncture, the Inspector, ACB, Srikakulam Range informed the District B.C. Welfare Officer, Srikakulam about the surprise check conducted on the hostel and requested her to direct concerned Asst. B.C. Welfare Officer attend the hostel to assist them in conducting proceedings as the HWO was absent. The DBCWO, Srikakulam informed that she will direct Sri M. Raghavendra Rao, ABCWO, Palasa to assist them.

During the surprise check, the following registers, which were available in the hostel were verified.

1. Staff Attendance Register: The register was being maintained from November 2018. The attendance was marked for Smt. P.Saraswathi and Smt. D. Sandhya on 11.11.2019.
2. **Material Stock cum Acquittance Register:** The register was being maintained from 12.08.2018.
   - i. Notebooks for renewal boarders were being entered in Page No. 17 to 19 and it was shown as notebooks were issued to 69 renewal boarders. 1133 white long notebooks, 44 one side ruled short notebooks, 84 short white notebooks and 225 short rule books were received on 13.06.2019.
   - ii. Issuance of bedding material was entered at Page No. 20 to 22. It was shown as bed-sheets were issued to 69 renewal boarders out of 82 boarders. 90-bed sheets were received by the HWO but the date of receipt was not mentioned.
   - iii. Issue of notebooks for fresh boarders was entered at page no. 23 and it was shown as notebooks were issued to 27 boarders
   - iv. Issue of bedding material for fresh boarders was entered at page no. 24 and it was shown as notebooks were issued to 27 boarders
   - v. Issue of Patasala books for 10^{th} class boarders was shown at page No. 25 and it was shown as Patasala books were issued to 27 boarders of 10^{th} class from June 2019 to November 2019.

   In the above entries, no scale and date of the issue was mentioned but the signatures of the boarders were obtained.
3. **Hostel Advisory Committee Register**: The register was being maintained from 20.07.2018. A resolution to admit 27 new boarders in the hostel and the list of boarders was approved by Sri B. Ashok, MLA, Ichapuram on 05.07.2019. On perusal of the register, it is learnt that 47 fresh students were admitted in the hostel during the academic year 2017-18 and at the end of the details, a certificate stating that all the admitted boarders were from villages about 5 kilometers from the hostel. The same was also attested by the then Member of Legislative Assembly, Ichapuram Assembly Constituency. Likewise, at page No. 13, a certificate stating that 27 fresh boarders were admitted during the year 2019-20 and all the boarders were of villages about 5 kilometres from the hostel.
4. **Parents Meeting Register:** At page Nos. 36 & 37, it was shown as a meeting was conducted on 10.08.2019 and 17 signatures were obtained as if they were the signatures of the parents of boarders. However, no resolution or suggestions were discussed in this register. Likewise at page Nos. 38, 39 & 41, it was shown as a meeting was conducted on14.09.2019 and 27 signatures were obtained as if they were the signatures of the parents of the boarders.
5. **Visit Book:** The register was being maintained from 28.06.2016 and the last visit entry was made by Sri H. Krishna Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa on 23.07.2018. No supervisory Officer visited the hostel after 23.07.2018.
6. **Hostel Staff Movement Register:** The register was being maintained since 20.10.2017 and the last entry was made on 26.07.2018.
7. **Hostel Boarders Movement Register:** The register was being maintained since 01.08.2014 and the last entry was made on 14.08.2017.
8. **Cosmetic Charges Acquittance Register:** The register was being maintained since 01/2016 and the last entry was marked for September 2018 showing a balance as Rs.1,615/-.
9. **Boarders Academic Progress Register:** The register was being maintained from 2016-17 and the last entry was made at page No. 35. No entries were made concerning the academic year 2018-19 and 2019-20.

10. Students Admission Register: The register was being maintained from the academic year 2016-17 and admission No. 556 where 27 names of new boarders were entered in the register under the heading new boarders' admissions for 2019-20 as per proceedings Rc.No. 47/2019/A1 dated 30.07.2019 of the DBCWO, Srikakulam. 27 admission applications were also available in the admission register. But no copy of the proceedings is available in the register. On perusal of the register, it is learnt that no local students of Sompeta village were admitted during the previous 4 academic years.

Original admission register along with 27 original admission applications were handed over to Sri M. Raghavendra Rao, ABCWO, Palasa for further process.

While searching the office room, as many as 80 empty HAI (Health, Academic and Identity) Cards were identified in the room without entering any data of the students in the cards. The Inspector seized one of the HAI cards for enquiry duly attested by the mediators and himself.

The Inspector, ACB seized the 9 registers from 1 to 9 and photocopies of the admission register and 27 admission applications for enquiry duly attested by the mediators, the DSP and himself.

No other important registers viz., Boarder's attendance register, stock & issue register, Vendors register/purchase register, boarders amenities register etc, were available in the hostel.

The District B.C. Welfare Officer, Srikakulam through her letter Rc. No. A1/93/2019/BCW dated 18.11.2019 furnished copy of G.O.Ms.No. 54 dated 24.05.2014 of Social Welfare (Edn.1) Department, Govt. of AP. As per the G.O., the following 18 registers should be maintained by the HWOs concerned.

1. Admission Register of the boarders
2. Attendance (Signature) Register
3. Attendance Register of the staff
4. Provision Stock and Issue Register
5. Daily Purchase cum Vendors Acquittance Register
6. Permanent articles register
7. Cashbook
8. Treasury Bill register
9. Stock and Issue Register of Dresses/ Note Books and Cosmetic Disbursement Registers
10. Visitors' Register
11. Movement Register of HWOs and other staff
12. Movement Register of Boarders.
13. Staff salary acquittance register
14. Bills register (Office Copy of all bills sent)
15. Minutes book of Hostel Advisory Committee
16. Students Grievances Register
17. Permanent Advance register
18. Library books register.

But during the course of surprise check, some of the above records were not found in the hostel.

During the enquiry, the Inspector secured the presence of Sri Bodeda Satyanarayana, Headmaster, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta; Sri Allaka Raj Kumar, S/o Lova Raju, Headmaster, Govt. High School, Sompeta and Sri Kambya Vijay Kumar, Headmaster, MPP School-CBM-II, Sompeta examined them and recorded their statements and all the above said Headmasters submitted the details of the students of their schools who were boarders in the above-said hostel.

On perusal of the copy of the Admission Register seized during the surprise check, it is revealed that no local boarders of Sompeta village were admitted in the hostel for the last four academic years.

On perusal of the Hostel Advisory Committee register, it is learnt that 47 fresh students were admitted in the hostel during the academic year 2017-18 and at the end of the details, a certificate stating that all the admitted boarders were of villages about 5 kilometers from the hostel. The same was also attested by the then Member of Legislative Assembly, Ichapuram Assembly Constituency. Likewise, at page No. 13, a certificate stating that 27 fresh boarders were admitted during the

year 2019-20 and all the boarders were of villages which are at a distance of 5 Kilometers from the hostel radius.

During the enquiry, the Boarders attendance register and Stock & Issue register relating to Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta, which were seized at Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Mandasa by Sri K. Bhaskara Rao in 03/SC-ACB/SKL/2019 on 11.11.2019 were handed over to the Enquiry Officer of the Surprise Check and the same was verified and identified that the HWO Smt. A.S. Ramanamma, Hostel Welfare Officer, Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls' Hostel, Sompeta, Srikakulam District had inflated the number of boarders and claimed excess amount to the tune of Rs.**21,897**/- from 13.06.2018 to 10.11.2019 in the form of diet charges of boarders, prepared bills and submitted to ABCWO, Palasa, who is the Drawing and Disbursing Officer and the ABCWO forwarded the bills submitted by the HWO to Sub Treasury, Sompeta with respect to claiming of bills except the bills for the month of November, 2019.

The enquiry revealed that Smt. A.S. Ramanamma, HWO failed to maintain some important registers viz., cash book, Treasury Bill Register and Pay Bill Register and did not maintain any record properly and also failed to maintain the hostel in a hygienic condition. There was no facility of purified drinking water for the boarders in the hostel and the food was not supplied as per the prescribed menu.

The District B.C. Welfare Officer, Srikakulam through her letter Rc. No. A1/93 /2019/BCW dated 18.11.2019 furnished the duties and responsibilities of the ABCWOs. As per the information, the ABCWO should visit every hostel under his/her jurisdiction at least once a month.

But the retired employee failed to visit the Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls' Hostel, Sompeta as per the prescribed norms and failed to supervise the performance of HWO resulting in several irregularities and mismanaging of the hostel.

There is sufficient evidence on record that the retired employee failed to visit the Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls' Hostel, Sompeta as per the prescribed norms and failed to supervise the performance of HWO resulting in several irregularities and mismanaging of the hostel.

Hence, the charge against the Government Servant / Retired Employee Sri M.Raghavendra Rao, ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District as he has failed to visit the hostel as per prescribed norms and failed to supervise the performance of HWO Smt. A.S. Ramanamma of Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta resulting in several irregularities and mismanaging of the hostel was held substantiated.

Thus, the retired employee by his above mentioned acts has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct, unbecoming of a Government Servant and thereby contravened Rules 3(1), 3(2) & 3(5) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 r/w Rule 9 of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

G.ANANTHA RAMU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

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ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M.RAGHAVENDRA RAO, THE THEN ABCWO, PALASA, SRIKAKULAM DISTRICT (NOW RETIRED) ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED:

1. **Surprise check proceedings dated 11.11.2019 drafted at Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta.**
2. **Copy of the Surprise Check proceedings** dated 11.11.2019 drafted at Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Mandasa.
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13. **Boarders attendance register** relating to Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta, which were seized at Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Mandasa by Sri K. Bhaskara Rao, Inspector, ACB in 03/SC-ACB/SKL/2019 on 11.11.2019 were handed over to the Investigating Officer of the Surprise Check.
14. **Stock & Issue register** relating to Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta, which were seized at Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Mandasa by Sri K. Bhaskara Rao, Inspector, ACB in 03/SC-ACB/SKL/2019 on 11.11.2019 were handed over to the Investigating Officer of the Surprise Check
15. **Water Analysis Report** dated 21.11.2019 of the Senior Analyst (Water), Regional Public Health Laboratory, Visakhapatnam.
16. **Letter dated 23.10.2021 of the ABCWO, Palasa**

    It shows that the HWO Smt. A.S. Ramanamma already claimed the bills for the months from June, 2019 to November, 2019 but the then ABCWO, Palasa, who is the DDO for the said hostel submitted the bills to the Sub Treasury, Sompeta upto October, 2019 only. The same were paid to the HWO Smt. A.S. Ramanamma through treasury.
17. **Letter Rc.No. A1/93/2019/BCW dated 18.11.2019 of District B.C. Welfare Officer, Srikakulam.**

    It shows the service particulars of the HWO Smt. A.S. Ramanamma, ABCWO Sri M. Raghavendra Rao and the job chart of the HWO and ABCWO along with the registers to be maintained in the hostel etc.
18. **Any other document if any required will be produced at the time of Inquiry.**

G.ANANTHA RAMU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

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ANNEXURE-IV

LIST OF WITNESSESS BY WHOM THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M.RAGHAVENDRA RAO, THE THEN ABCWO, PALASA, SRIKAKULAM DISTRICT (NOW RETIRED) ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED:

1. Sri Sugandham Omkar, S/o Sanjeeva Rao, Veterinary Asst. Surgeon, Veterinary Dispensary, Kottavalasa village, Amadalavalasa Mandal, Srikakulam District.
2. Smt. Bulusu Venkata Syamala, D/o late B.V. Ramanamurthy, Jr. Asst., O/o Dy. Director, Animal Husbandry, Srikakulam.
3. Sri Mojjada Srinivasa Babu S/o Satyanarayana, Agricultural Officer, Farmers Training Center, Srikakulam.
4. Smt. Puvvula Usha Rani W/o Baggu Durga Rao, Junior Assistant O/o Joint Director of Agriculture, Srikakulam.
5. Smt. Pyla Saraswathi, W/o Ramarao, Outsourcing Kamati, Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta.
6. Smt. P.Ratnam, W/o Bairagi, Outsourcing Kamati, Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta; R/o Dhaba Colony, near Nukalamma Temple, Sompeta.
7. Smt. Dutla Sandhya, S/o late Raju, Outsourcing Night Watch woman, Govt. B.C. Welfare Girls Hostel, Sompeta. R/o Talatampara village, Kanchili Mandal, Srikakulam District.
8. Sri Varanasi Kiran Kumar, s/o late Venkata Ramana, Sri Durga Kirana Stores, Main Road, Sompeta.
9. Sri Srikakulam Dharma Rao, S/o Pothayya, Regu Mohana Rao vegetable shop, Bazar Street, Sompeta:
10. Sri Jangam Janakiramayya, S/o late Ramana Murthy, Harish Eggs & Chicken Centre, Bazar Street, Sompeta:
11. Botchu Deepika, D/o Balaraju, 9th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
12. Jyothi Behara, D/o BaluduBehara, 10 th class, Govt. High School, Sompeta
13. Landa Swaroopa, D/o Dilles, 9thclass, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
14. KiluguKrishnaveni, D/o Lingaraju, 6th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
15. Ranka Sanjana, D/o Kussanna, 4th class, CBM School-II, Sompeta
16. BynapalliSpandana, D/o Tulasi, 7th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta
17. Setti Swathi, D/o Sarath Kumar Setti, 8th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
18. Gummadi Nandini, D/o Jogarao, 8th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
19. Kolla Nandini, D/o Papayya, 10 class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
20. ParapatiSumithra, D/o Vasu, 10th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
21. Jalasutra Devi, D/o Matayya, 8th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
22. Pushpanjalibehara, D/o Bali behara, 9th class, Z.P. Girls High School, Sompeta;
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